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The Honorable J. Paul Oetken United States District Judge Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: New York Times and Charlie Savage v. Federal Bureau of Investigation,

No. 17 Civ. 4558 (JPO)

Dear Judge Oetken:

I am counsel for The New York Times Company and Charlie Savage in the above-referenced action, and I write on behalf of both the plaintiffs ("The Times") and the defendant, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (the "FBI"). In this action, The Times sought through the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") copies of all memos former FBI Director James Comey wrote memorializing his conversations with President Trump ("the Comey Memos").

I write to notify the Court that The Times has agreed to voluntarily dismiss this case. A stipulation and proposed order of dismissal executed by counsel for the defendant and the undersigned has been sent to the Orders and Judgments Clerk. We respectfully request that the Court endorse the stipulation and enter it as an order of dismissal pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41.

Respectfully submitted,

David E. McCraw

cc: Jeannette Vargas, AUSA